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FSSAI Publishes Draft Regulations on Labeling

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Report Highlights:

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General Information:

Introduction: On December 27, 2012, The Food Safety and Standards Authority of India (FSSAI) posted the draft regulation "Regulation on Labeling (Claims)" on its website. FSSAI has invited suggestions and comments from stakeholders. The full text of the draft regulation can be accessed at FSSAI Draft Regulations on Labeling (Claims) on the FSSAI website.

Type of Regulation: Draft

Publication Date: December 27, 2012

Notification to WTO: Not notified to the WTO as of Dec 28, 2012

Final Date for Comments: January 31, 2013

Products Affected: All food products

Agency in Charge: Food Safety and Standards Authority of India, GOI

Comments or suggestions from stakeholders should be emailed on or before January 31, 2013 to:

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